IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

Kenji KUROIWA et al.

Serial No. 10/655,840 : Group Art Unit - 3671

Filed: September 5, 2003 : Examiner - Thomas A. Beach

For: OVERLOAD PREVENTION

DEVICE FOR A SNOW REMOVING MACHINE

(As Amended)

: Docket No. S011-5112

MS FEE AMENDMENT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND REQUIRED EXTENSION FEE

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Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time for replying to the Office Action dated May 11, 2005, and request that the period for taking further action be reset to expire on September 11, 2005. This is an extension request for replying to the May 11 Office Action within the first month pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136(a).

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The reason for the present request is to provide additional time to study the May 11 Office Action and take appropriate action in response thereto.

Authorization is hereby given to charge \$120.00 for the required extension fee to our Deposit Account No. 01-0268. Should it be determined that this amount is insufficient for any reason, authorization hereby is given to charge any such insufficiency to Deposit Account No. 01-0268.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: MS FEE AMENDMENT, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date indicated below.

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September 12, 2005 Date